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**LETTER TO THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,

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In response to the Office action dated April 7, 2005, please consider the following remarks and arguments set forth in this Letter To The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.